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Tony N. Frudakis

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METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR INFERRING EYE COLOR AND

HAIR COLOR

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed October 16, 2008 and further responsive to the Office Communication mailed July 16, 2009, Applicant elects, without traverse, Group I, Claims 1-13, drawn to a method for determining eye color.

Applicants also elect the SNP of an oculocutaneous albinism II (OCA2) gene, Subcombination (B) and SEQ ID NO: 3 and 4.

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No fee is believed due. If any additional fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required by this submission, or make any credits or overpayments, to Deposit Account No. <u>07-1896</u> referencing the above-identified attorney docket number.

Respectfully submitted,

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